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Vestaburg News

Mrs. Wm. Wartz went to Ithaca Fri- friends. The parents of the bridegroom.

Mr. Speaker was in Riverdale Satur-

Miss Inez Reed was a Riverdale caller family of Ferris Sunday.

Fred Rowland of Alma was in town ing his daughter, Mrs. Mable Neat of

Mr. and Mrs. Howard moved to Alma

Mrs. Ed Skidmore was in Grand Rap-

paign U. R. Hicks made a business trip ariginand Rapids Tuesday. Repu and Mrs. Ben Borden were Ed-

agair callers Saturday, est 4. Nichols of Riverdale was a busigreacaller in town Monday.

the rs. George Scranton and Miss Nina coninton were in Stanton Thursday. diMr. and Mrs. Henry Manley were at Ujverdale and Elm Hall Saturday. stor rold Taft of Alma was a week-end

mest of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John Taft. Aiss Hazel Rhoades of Alma visited

ever Sunday at the home of her mother, us. Dewitt Murtaugh. qua ... Frank Winchell and children of themore visited at the home of Mrs.

sivin Horton Wednesday. Mr. Wm. Wartz and daughter, Mrs. a Beach attended the ball game at

issur Hall Saturday afternoon campan game Saturday afternoon between parti sall park. Everybody come. am ris Vance returned to his home in

evitable after visiting a few days at the this office. licane of his daughter, Mrs. Ethel Mar-

tin The Vestaburg band played some fine welections at Mr. Stauffer's Grove last FOR SALE-Buckeye ditching machine, are getting worse all the time. ernturday evening. All report a good

Sunday evening.

am Thomas Meddick, Frank Platt, Chas. silegen, Clarence Caris, Edwin McDole Charles Gorsisch attended the ball fare Charles Golskin and Arternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Scott of East Jorinian visited Mrs. M. Walker Tuesday. almostude Manley and Eva Baker atcynical the social at Mr. and Mrs. Stanfwoes; Saturday evening.

herair, and Mrs. Parrish of Grand Rapleas, who have been visiting at the home hon the latter's brother, Mr. and Mrs ismlin Delancy, and other relatives, rebangued to their home Tuesday.

in Glen Van Horn of Detroit, who is receiting his mother, Mrs. Dusett, shot south of Alma, on Thursday, May 28th. a hand Sunday while handling a re-E which he did not know was Pentecostal Hymns, and also folding ta-Dr. Hubbard extracted the bul-

dressed the wound. was borretty wedding took place Sunday, oth, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Skidmore, when their daughter,



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Detorit Free Press Interviews

WAR WOULD UNITE MEXICANS

Describes Attacks On Tampico When Rifles Cracked Near House

The Detroit Free Press of Monday had the following statement from a Gratiot county man

"Charles W. Hamilton, son of E. D. Hamilton, of Ithaca, and assistant chief ed by the hostess. geologist for the Pearson oil interests, Breckenridge May 14 and 15. or Cia Mexicana de Petroleo el Aguila. S. A., an English syndicate, who has inst arrived from Mexico on sick leave, asserts that both federals and rebels "gringoes" so cordially that an attempted invasion would surely unite the warring factions against the foreigners.

In these troublous times if costs 1835t2 money to do business in Mexico. Mr. Hamilton saw a telegram seat from Gen-FOR RENT-Furnished Rooms. Alma cral Cia Aguilar to Dr. Cardenas from Remus Thursday. tf Tanhuijo camp to the Los Navanjos with the following contents: "The Hu- in brand new buggies. FOR SALE-At a very low price, 50 asteca Petroleum company must either Bedsteads, some oak, some ash, some hand over \$100,000 (Mexican currency) at F. J. Tucker's last week. walnut, come and look them over if or we will shut down the pumps within you want to buy a bedstead. H, Mon- 48 hours." The pumps were not shut working for Silver's show the coming

Mr. Hamilton has passes from several rebel generals which allowed him to go about his work unmolested. He said he found the rebels much easier FOR SALE-One top buggy and single to get along with than the federals, as harness. Can be bought cheap, in the rebels were more willing to pay for

"When it comes to the high cost of

ARCADA FARMERS CLUB

Arcada Hotel.

The Arcada Farmers' Club will meet it the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Rockafellow, one mile west and 4 miles Remember and bring your gospel and

BUSINESS PROSPECTS

The program will be as follows: Opening Song by the Club-America. 1914, Prayer-Rev. Priest.

Song-By the Club. Address of Welcome-Mr. Rockafel-

Roll Call-Answered with a quota-

Reading-Mrs. A. F. Nestle. Recitation-Mrs. Hector Smith. Song-Madam Beard, Rockafellow, Reading-S. W. Peck. Violin Solo-George Irish. Recitation-Mrs. ,E. R. Holliwell. Music-Mr. J. Irish. Reading-Mrs. Wm. Hutchinson.

Question Box. Closing Song by Club-Nearer, My od to Thee. MRS. H. WALSTOW,

MRS. G. IRISH, MRS. G. PECK, MRS. A. E. MILLER.

Rev. Green of Ithaca was in the city Wednesday.

County Clerk R. E. Hughes of Ithaca 25c Silk and cotton vas in Alma on business Wednesday af-

I. E. Shield of Detroit was in Alma on business with Sharrar and Moore

Mrs. Fred Rowland, Mrs. Jack Moblo and daughter, Hazel left Wednesday morning for a visit in Ann Arbor.

Governor Ferris passed through Alma Tuesday at 10:15 en route to Saginaw where he addressed a medical conven-

Gratiot Co. Man Mrs. C. J. Brown.

Phillis Howard is sick with tonsili- their children and Mrs. Kip of Grand from Thomas to the lather of The coast from Texas to the Isthmus of Te- was destined to take up the work which Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Tupper enter- work was in the rebel territory. While as faithfully as she stood by Frances tained Mr. and Mrs. Jollie Hare and alone with only a peon servant on a Willard and Lillian Stevens during their surveying tour he heard the rebels had leadership, she will now take up the Mr. John Goho, who has been visit- come across the river near camp, killing greater work which has come to her, and Saginaw, returned Saturday to the home others, "I thought my time had come," tories, N. Port Strouble of Alma was in of his daughter, Mrs. Myrt Cummings, he said today, "and I didn't sleep much. Alma, May 11, 1914. My servant also kept watch all night. A couple of days later my horse was stolon, but my servant recovered it the next FOR SALE-Horse, five years old, day by paying 10 pesos,"

Good one, weight 1350. Ray Berming-

FOR RENT-Furnished room. Lady preferred. Mrs. Stanard, 708 State St. A-1 condition. RAY BESORE, Tel. things they took.

Mr. Hamilton was in Tampico when April. At the latter attack he was awak- Stearns and family 1835t2 ened one morning by the crack, crack of rifles which seemed just outside the daughters of Carson City were Sunday WANTED - A dish-washer at once at building, but was about four blocks callers at D. Ayers'. away. He could see the flash of guns FOR SALE-A Baby Carriage almost as and bursting of shells. The attack last- where he has employment with the Mo-Rue Athletics and Riverdale at the Ves- Avenue. Inquire at 423 Wright ed about six days, but only about 40 or tor Truck Company. 1885tf 50 rebels attacked at once. Sometimes The ball game between Elm Hall and WANTED - To rent or buy, a modern they would come clear into the business Mt. Pleasant Indians Saturday was well dwelling centrally located. Inquire at section of the city. One morning look- attended and a good game played. Mt. WANTED-A wood pattern-maker. J. hanging to a telephone pole. The body P. French, Standard Foundry Mig. Co. was left for the buzzards. Sanitary conditions in Tampico are very bad and

H. Dershein, Forest Hill, Farmers' 1836t4 x living you get it in Mexico," said Mr. The drs R. Ballou, who was a week-end breat of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. cabbage, cauliflower and tomato plants. Smith and Walstow, Bell phone 307—

Sunday evening.

"The rebels and federals would be ture of the beast. All are filled with ha- drill. tred for the 'gringo.' I have never seen any real patriotism among the Mexicans on either side. They are all for themselves, and the man who can talk the fastest and loudest being the leader of he masses."

ADVERTISED LETTERS

Alma, Michigan, May 11th, 1914. Advertised list for week ending May

Mr. Bob Blake, Mrs. Herbert Harp. Paton's Garage.

sent to the Dead Letter Office June 1st, of last week and also at Fred Durkus."

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MT. PLEASANT MAY FESTIVAL

Among Alma people who attended the May Festival at Mt. Pleasant last week were Messrs. Reese Farrington Veatch and T. A. Fannell, also the Misses Edna Swigart, Gretta Bagley and Mr. and

W. C. T. U.

The Annual Meeting of the Francis Williard Union met with Mr. S. A Vliet, May 9.

The following officers were elected: President-Mrs. C. L. Wood. Corresponding Secretary-Mrs. M.

Recording Secretary - Mrs. E. C.

Treasurer-Miss Fannie Smith. The district president, Mrs. N. F. Mudge was present and gave a short talk and light refreshments were serv-

The county convention will be held at

With the passing of Mrs. Lillian Stevens on April 6, the Woman's Christian Temperance Union lost its mighty leadlevy tribute on property and hate the en the work of leading the Army forward. She was little more than a gir when the life of Francis Willard first outlied hers. And those who Hamilton was in Mexico for two watched the growth of her characte auntepec. For several months his has now come to her, and feel that just one "gringo" and vowing death to all will lead forward to new and larger vic-

MRS. J. H. FLEMING.

Sumner News Items

Charles Perry made a business trip to Austin Lang and Harrison Peters ride

Clyde Thompson of Saginaw visited

John Phillips, wife and children, are

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Booth Sunday-

ed with Lewis Forquer and wife at Riv-Mr. and Mrs. Amos Button left for Toledo Tuesday where they have em-

Alfred Stearns and family of Ferris the rebels attacked in December and in spent Sunday with his parents. Horatio

George Clow went to Alma Monday

Mr. and Mrs. A. Bennett and two

Mr. and Mrs. David Mulford were called to Palo Wednesday to attend the funeral of his nephew's wife, Mrs. Bert Steadman, who died very suddenly with

Riverdale Hive entertained Sumner and Alma Hives last Thursday. A fine dinner was served and the afternoon spent in the regular Hive work and an excellent program. The Alma ladies did sure to unite against the United States the initiatory work and initiated Mrs. if war-were declared. That is the na- Welch. The Sumner ladies gave the

West Arcada News

It was Wess Webb who had a new

Mrs. Allis visited at Fred Durkus last Tuesday, «

Al Beeson and Charles Goggin have gone on a fishing trip near Cadillac. Mr. and Mrs. Bigelow welcomed another heir last week, making a family of

Mr. and Mrs. W. Morrison of Mt. The above if not called for will be Pleasant visited at the Allis home a part Guy Horton is very sick and has been under the care of a trained nurse the last

ten boys and two girls.

four weeks, but is thought to be on the Wednesday, May 6th, Mrs. Allis reached the 77th milestone on life's journey and Thursday, Mesdames Doane, Mason, Smith, Osborn and Miss Jennie Smith came and helped celebrate the

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13	Croup, Hoarse Cough, Laryngitis	
14	Salt Rheum, Eruptions.	
15	Rheumatism, Lumbago	
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